HOUSE ACCEPTS SENATE MEASURE

Democrats and Republicans Vote Together to Uphold Taft.

CONGRESS WILL ADJOURN TO-DAY

This Is Important Factor in Expedition of Ratification Which Is Sent to President for His Signature-Russian Reply to Notice Is Received in Washington.

tion of the treaty, the United States will scarcely gain its point in a new Greaty.

"We cannot change our internal legislation," says M. Timiriazeff, "to please the United States,"

In the former minister's opinion the matter will not come to a tariff war. "Under the circumstances," continues M. Timiriazeff, "the American government's step is not clear and scarcely prudent. Bad economic relations may help to disturb good political relations. The traditional 'friendship between Russia and the United States is now at stake needlessly."

Apart from the uncertainty which characterizes the present Russian attitude, it must be said that real appreciation and admiration have been ex
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Condemns Americans Who Go Abroad for Education.

Washington, December 20.—Senator Bailey criticized thoss Americans who go abroad for education, when the Senate was asked by Senator Root to-day to pass a bill authorizing the American Academy at Rome to accept a \$200,000 villa donated by the late Clara 3 theyland. The bill, which was finally passed, involved the spending of no public money. Consent of Congress was required because the academy is incorporated in the District of Columbia. It is devoted to the art education of American youths selected by a system of competition.

Senator Root championed education in art, and got into a colloquy with Mr. Bailey over the effects of a French residence upon the principles of Thômas Jefferson. Senator Root point-residence upon the principles of Thômas Jefferson had designed the University of Virginia and Monticello from the ideas he had accumulated in France, adapted to the needs of America.

Mr. Bailey said educational facilities in America were good enough for anybody, and poked fun at the idea of Soling abroad to learn. He declared he had nothing but condemnation for those who spend abroad the foriumes made by their ancestors in this country, and referred in rather uncompilmentary terms to "the habit of swapping American fortunes for European titles."

AGREEMENT ON MOROCCO

e negative. He explained to the course later that he voted against the solution in a spirit of levity. During the debate Republicans joined in their political opponents in their political opponents in the properties of the York, the Democratic author of the House bill, for accepting the Sense measure amending his own.

Subser Urges Acceptance.
Mr. Subser urged the House to accept to Schatte's resolution, so that Presint Taft's hands might be upheld by the legislative end of the government dealing with Russia, and the notice the treaty termination made effective before January I.

"Mr. Subser has shown that he is thing through the promptings of patotism, not politics," said Republican ader Mann.

The Russian reply to the notice from

NO ACTION PROBABLE

TO AMEND SHERWOOD BILL

Latter Now Classed as Desirable Booty by Burgiars.

New Haven, Cohn., Docember 20.—
With eggs at the highest price in twenty years, burglars class them with jewelry and money as desirable booty. Burglars who entered the home or Roger Dickinson, at Montowose, last night passed by a quantity of heavy silverware and took only a small sum of money, a few pieces of jewelry and four dozen freshly laid eggs. Similar losses have been noted in other houses entered recently in that vicinity.

mation Promises Minimum Fine.

GRAND JURY MAY

If Result Is Satisfactory Investigation in Lee Probably Will End-More Than 100 Indictments Already Returned. Wholesale Disfranchisement Is Predicted.

Saved by Immediate Operation. tion of Sherman Law.

AWAITINGTRIAL NOT MEET AGAIN ON MURDERCHARGE

Prisoner Found Lying on Floor by Jail Attendant Suffering Intense Pain-Surgeons Are Hastily Summoned, and, After Drastic Treatment, Predict His Recovery.

Is Not Questioned.

When Richeson came out from under the influence of the anesthetic he had nothing to say. By order of the surgeons, he was not questioned by any one, and will be kept quiet until he gains strength.

Contracts are especially valuable to the defendant company because they enabled it to enclose these movements in its own case and thus promote its foreign watch case trade."

By virtue of these consolidations and contracts, the government in its bill guins strength.

Judge Skeen in Procla- Rev. Clarence Richeson Declares It Unlawful Combination in Viola-

BILL PRAYS FOR

ITS DISSOLUTION

Keystone Company Is Alleged to Control 80 Per Cent. of Trade, and Is Charged With Purpose of Monopolizing It All. Unreasonable Profits

Bristol, Va., December 29.—The judicial investigation into alleged wholesale corruption of the electorate in Lee carly morning hours at the county with money and whiskey took a different turn to-day, which is labeleved will result in many confessions. Judge Skeen announced that to-morrow he will adjourn the special strand jury, which has been probing into the election scandal for the past three weeks. It was his intention to convene the grand jury immediately fafter the holidays ard resume the investigation by that body, but his plan now its to have the vote sellers confess, if possible.

In his proclamation Judge Skeen announced that the contess will be given the minimum fine, but that they will be forever described in the confess will be given the minimum fine, but that they will be forever decented that the contess will be given the minimum fine, but that they will be forever decented that the contess will be given the minimum fine, but that they will be forever decented that the contess will be given the minimum fine, but that they will be forever decented the prisoner probably would recover which is at minimum they will be forever decented the prisoner probably would recover within two weeks.

Commonwealth's Attorney M. G. Ely, who has been active in the matter, stated to-night that over 109 indiction in which the contess with individual defendants named in the word with selling their votes. It is expected with the contess of the co

Judge Skeen hopes to get the special storm of the guilty man without continuing the grand jury investigation, and to this end he offered the minimum fine to all who confess before the special grand jury is reconvened in February to continue the probe.

Judge Skeen's method in getting the evidence upon which the indictments were made was divulged to-night by Commonwealth's Attorney Ely, who is stated that in the outset his Honor devidence was to get if from the men who bought the votes. He had a number of men suspected of vote buying brought before the grand jury, and he stated to them that they would be stated to the cell declared that an immediate operation was necessary, and three surgeons were sent for. The operation occupied considerable time, and that the watch cases manufactured and throp, one of the surgeons who attend
The prisoner. Richeson's counsel all the watch cases.

Charges by Government.

After reciting the bistory of the organization of the alleged combination whether the submenced two other attendant heard Richeson crying:

"Doctor; Oh, Doctor; Come, Doctor, the surgeons were acquired, the government charges that in 1904 the Keystone Company was put in excell

NOTHING TO HIDE

DECLARE NO CASE MADE OUT

SMALL BANKS CONSIDERED

HORSE SUPPLY THREATENED

REPORT ON WOOL **SENT TO CONGRESS**

President Recommends That Rates Be Materially Reduced.

HE PRAISES WORK OF TARIFF BOARD

Urges That Revision of Schedule Be Proceeded With at Once, but Does Not Propose Any Definite Duty, Merely Presenting Findings of Fact for Further Action.

Washington, D. C., December 20 .he long-awaited report of the Tariff

of finer qualities, which, if imported, might be used to displace the cheap

substitutes now employed.

President Taft calls attention to
these points and urges that a revision the Tariff Board as the most complete and exhaustive statement of a dicfluit

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Roger Discharge and took only a small support of the form of the special street of the s under the present duty, which is 11
cents a pound. That would make the
duty on the 100 pounds \$11. The merchantable part of the wool thus imperted is the weight of the wool of
this 100 pounds after scouring. If the
wool shrinks \$0 per cent, as some
wools do, then the duty in such a case
would amount to \$11 on twenty
pounds of scoured wood. This, of
course, would be prohibitory. If the
wool shrinks only 50 per cent, it
would be \$11 on fifty pounds of wool,
and this is near to the average of the would be \$11 on fifty pounds of weel, and this is near to the average of the great bulk of wools that are imported to from Australia, which is the principal source of our imported wool.

Duties Prohibitory.

"The duties on many classes of wool manufacture are prohibitory and greating in excess of the difference in cost of production here and abroad.

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"This is true of tops, of yarns (with

RICHMOND, VA., THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1911. CONFESSION URGED INFLICTS SERIOUS GOVERNMENT SUES ON VOTE-SELLERS WOUNDON HIMSELF WATCH CASETRUST